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Invention: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVISIONING, ASSIGNMENT, MEASUREMENT AND AUDIT SERVICES PROVIDED TO CLUSTERED NETWORK SITE USERS, AND TO GENERATE SERVICE LEVEL AGREEMENT REPORTS**

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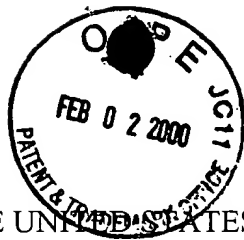
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please enter the following Preliminary Amendment before re-calculating the filing fee in the above-identified application.

In the Claims:

Please enter NEW claims 4 through 16 as follows:

4. (NEW) The method of claim 1 in which the set of parameters to be measured is selected from the set consisting of: records of performance, transactions, and errors, client IP address, username, date, time, service, server name, server IP address, processing time, bytes sent, bytes